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Ms. LaDonna Castanuela MC-105  
Chief Clerk  
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality  
P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

Re: Docket No 2009-0681-SLG, Synagro of Texas-CDR, Inc., Request(s) filed on Permit No. WQ0004451000

Dear Ms. Castanuela:

This letter is a request for reconsideration to grant a contested case for the above mentioned permit. Synagro of Texas-CDR, Inc. is requesting that a contested case not be granted on the above mentioned permit based on the fact that the site has been permitted since 2003 and had been a registered site with the TCEQ since 1996. The request for a contested case was filed on the current permit that has been in for renewal with the TCEQ since August 30, 2007.

Synagro performs annual soil sampling for the site and has summed an annual report to the TCEQ for each year that the site has been permitted and/or registered with the state. Synagro follows a strict internal guideline for applying biosolids at agronomic rates so the rancher/farmer field/crop are not damaged and that the soils are not overloaded with nutrients and metals. Synagro has not received a Notice of Violation from the TCEQ on or about the above mentioned permit.

Sincerely,

Aaron L. Dorger  
Sr. Technical Services Manager

C.C: K. Ray Campbell, The Executive Director (Robin Smith Staff Attorney, Bijaya Chalise Technical Staff), Public Interest Counsel (Mr. Blas J. Coy, Jr. Attorney), Office of Public Assistance (Ms. Bridget Bohac, Director), and Mr. John J. Schmidt